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There have been some organizational changes at [redacted] vice president for marketing, [redacted] left the company. His duties have been picked up by [redacted] as marketing manager. The engineering department is being reorganized into three functional divisions: R&D, product design, and engineering services.

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[redacted] will head the R&D operation and the Processor Development Program will come under him. [redacted] reports directly to [redacted] will be head of product design and [redacted] formerly director of engineering, will run engineering services which includes proposals and publications.

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These organizational changes have no direct effect on the Processor Development Program. There is an indirect effect due to the confusion and uncertainty in the minds of the people involved during the transition phase. There was no mention of a new director of engineering and presumably [redacted] report directly to [redacted] at present.

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On this visitation, George T ^{YSON} expressed to [redacted] concern regarding two aspects of the program:

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1. Designation of specific personnel for the program, and
2. Monthly and special reports.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] was full-time project manager and had been given full responsibility for the program by HF. The format and timing of the monthly and special reports were discussed with [redacted] I repeated my previous suggestion that [redacted] written communication to George be of four types:

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1. The informal monthly progress reports as required.
2. A list of tasks in progress and in planning with a brief paragraph describing the objective. George stated he would like this to be in chart or graph form.
3. A copy of the task plan as it is written for each task. This is the document in which [] defines to his people the scope and direction of the task and is essential information to keep George informed on the program.
4. The final technical report on each task as required.

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Items 2 and 3 could, of course, be included in the monthly report, but I think it would be more timely to send them in as soon as they are available.

[] had prepared an unsolicited proposal for an automatic dodging light table, but it did not seem to suit George's requirements. It was pretty much the same as that proposed by [] a year or two ago. [] briefly discussed an additive color concept based on some ideas I had suggested about three years ago. George plans to explore this further with [] if his time permits.

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The clean room area had been cleared out and demolition of walls, sealing doors, etc., was in progress. In excavating for the pad to hold the HTA-5 they ran into an old floor drain which the city would not let them cover. They had to move the HTA-5 and pad about 6" to clear the drain.

The steel work from [] was not received on October 20 as expected. The delivery date on the floor beams from [] is a bit uncertain at the moment. There is a lot of activity on the clean room installation and it is moving right along.

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